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PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Takashi SUNDA, et al.  
 Appl. No. : 10/621,613  
 Filed : July 18, 2003  
 Title : MULTI-WAY INPUT DEVICE AND  
         OPERATING FAILURE AVOIDANCE  
         METHOD USING THE SAME

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No additional fee is required.  
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 Also attached: Petition for Extension of Time

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